EXHIBIT "D"

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda



Notice of Assignment of Judge for All Purposes September 6, 2017

Case Number: RG17878854

Case Title: Di-Az VS Tesla, Inc.

Date of Filing: 10/16/2017

TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

Pursuant to Rule 3.734 of the California Rules of Court and Title 3 Chapter 2 of the Local Rules of the Superior Court of California, County of Alameda, this action is hereby assigned by the Presiding Judge for all purposes to:

Judge:

Dennis Hayashi

Department:

518

Address:

Hayward Hall of Justice

24405 Amador Street

Hayward CA 94544

Phone Number: Fax Number:

(510) 690-2727

(510) 267-1585

Email Address:

Dept518@alameda.courts.ca.gov

Under direct calendaring, this case is assigned to a single judge for all purposes including trial.

Please note: In this case, any challenge pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 170.6 must be exercised within the time period provided by law. (See Code Civ. Proc. §§ 170.6, subd. (a)(2) and 1013.)

NOTICE OF NONAVAILABILITY OF COURT REPORTERS: Effective June 4, 2012, the court will not provide a court reporter for civil law and motion hearings, any other hearing or trial in civil departments, or any afternoon hearing in Department 201 (probate). Parties may arrange and pay for the attendance of a certified shorthand reporter. In limited jurisdiction cases, parties may request electronic recording.

Amended Local Rule 3.95 states: "Except as otherwise required by law, in general civil case and probate departments, the services of an official court reporter are not normally available. For civil trials, each party must serve and file a statement before the trial date indicating whether the party requests the presence of an official court reporter."

Courtesy copies of all law and motion papers shall be delivered directly to Department 518.

IT IS THE DUTY OF EACH PLAINTIFF AND CROSS COMPLAINANT TO SERVE A COPY OF THIS NOTICE IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL RULES.

General Procedures

Following assignment of a civil case to a specific department, all pleadings, papers, forms, documents and writings can be submitted for filing at either Civil Clerk's Office, located at the René C. Davidson Courthouse, Room 109, 1225 Fallon Street, Oakland, California, 94612, George E. McDonald Hall of Justice, 2233 Shoreline Drive, Alameda, California, 94501 and the Hayward Hall of Justice, 24405 Amador Street, Hayward, California, 94544. All documents, with the exception of the original summons and the original civil complaint, shall have clearly typed on the face page of each document, under the case number, the following:

ASSIGNED FOR ALL PURPOSES TO JUDGE Dennis Hayashi DEPARTMENT 518

All parties are expected to know and comply with the Local Rules of this Court, which are available on the Court's website at: http://www.alameda.courts.ca.gov/Pages.aspx/Local-Rules(1) and with the California Rules of Court, which are available at www.courtinfo.ca.gov.

Parties must meet and confer to discuss the effective use of mediation or other alternative dispute processes (ADR) prior to the Initial Case Management Conference. The court encourages parties to file a "Stipulation to Attend ADR and Delay Initial Case Management Conference for 90 Days". Plaintiff received that form in the ADR information package at the time the complaint was filed. The court's Web site also contains this form and other ADR information. If the parties do not stipulate to attend ADR, the parties must be prepared to discuss referral to ADR at the Initial Case Management Conference.

Schedule for Department 518

The following scheduling information is subject to change at any time, without notice. Please contact the department at the phone number or email address noted above if you have questions.

- Trials generally are held: Court Trials: Monday through Friday; 8:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- Jury Trials: Monday through Friday; 8:45 a.m. to 1:00
- Case Management Conferences are held: Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays at 2:30 p.m.
- Law and Motion matters are heard: Wednesdays and Thursdays at 2:30 p.m.
- Settlement Conferences are heard: As scheduled by the judge.
- Ex Parte matters are heard: Wednesdays and Thursdays at 2:30 p.m.
- Pretrial Hearings are heard on Tuesdays at 2:30 p.m. (hearings are scheduled 2 weeks prior to the trial date).

Law and Motion Procedures

To obtain a hearing date for a Law and Motion or ex parte matter, parties must contact the department as follows:

Motion Reservations

Email:

dept518@alameda.courts.ca.gov

Phone:

(510) 690-2727

Ex Parte Matters

Email:

dept518@alameda.courts.ca.gov

Phone:

(510) 690-2727

Tentative Rulings

The court may issue tentative rulings in accordance with the Local Rules. Tentative rulings will become the Court's order unless contested in accordance with the Local Rules. Tentative rulings will be available at:

• Website: www.alameda.courts.ca.gov/domainweb, Calendar Information for Dept. 518

Phone: 1-866-223-2244

Dated: 10/17/2017

Presiding Judge,

Superior Court of California, County of Alameda

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that the following is true and correct: I am the clerk of the above-named court and not a party to this cause. I served this Notice by placing copies in envelopes addressed as shown on the attached Notice of Initial Case Management Conference and then by sealing and placing them for collection, stamping or metering with prepaid postage, and mailing on the date stated below, in the United States mail at Alameda County, California, following standard court practices.

Executed on 10/18/2017

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Deputy Clerk